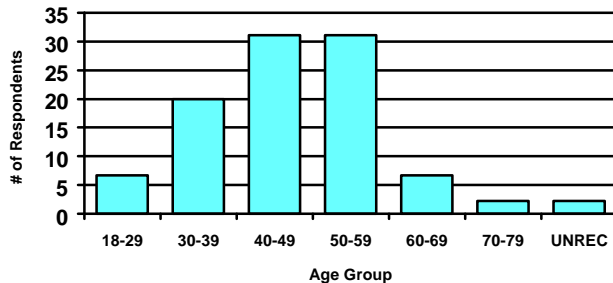


V. STAKEHOLDER SURVEY

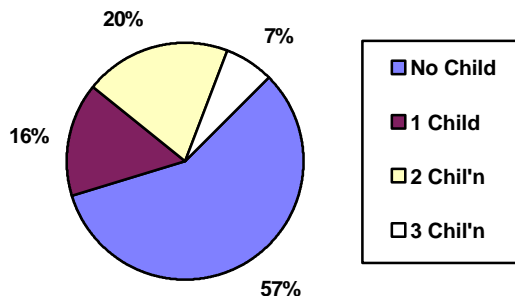
The Bradley County Stakeholder Survey provides a profile of perceived health care needs and problems facing the community and stakeholders who respond to the survey. Stakeholders are those individuals in a community who have a special interest in a particular issue or action being taken, i.e., young families, single parents, the elderly, business leaders, consumers, rural residents and urban residents. The stakeholders include both the users and providers of health services. The survey includes questions about the adequacy, accessibility, and level or satisfaction of health care services in the community. Members of the BCHC were asked to complete the stakeholders' survey as well as identify and obtain comments from various other stakeholders in the community. The Stakeholder Survey is not a scientific, random sample of the community; rather, its purpose is to obtain subjective data from a cross-section of the community about health care services, problems, and needs in the county. There were 45 respondents to the Bradley County Stakeholder Survey. Although *none of the issues recognized as potential problems arose directly from the Stakeholder Survey*, the BCHC considered heavily the perceptions of the respondents in determining underlying symptoms.

Stakeholder Demographics

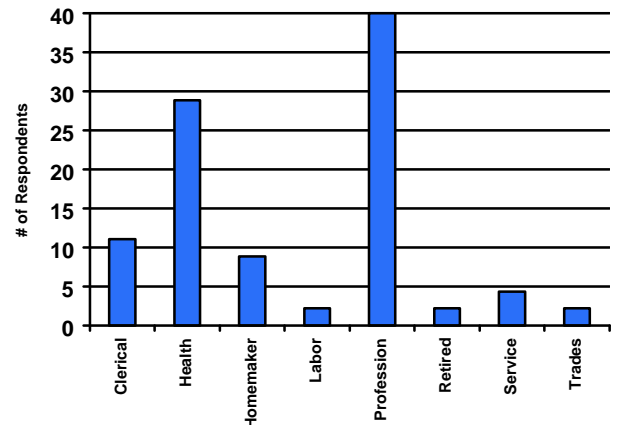
- 28 females (62.2%) and 15 males (33.3%) responded to the Stakeholder Survey, of those, 73% were married, 16% divorced, 4% widowed and 7% never married.
- A majority (78%) of respondents have been long-time (10+ years) residents.
- A majority of respondents fell within the 40-59 year old age group.



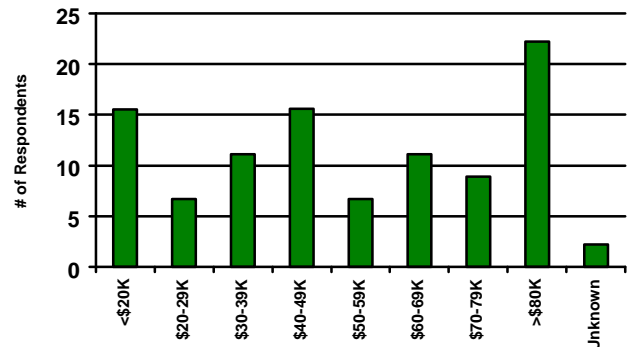
- When asked, "HOW MANY CHILDREN 18 OR UNDER ARE LIVING AT YOUR RESIDENCE?," a slight majority of respondents answered "none."



- A majority of respondents held professional or health-related jobs.



- The question, "WHAT IS YOUR APPROXIMATE HOUSEHOLD INCOME?," yielded the following results:



- Of all respondents, 2.2% were Asian, 4.4% were Black, 4.4% were Native Americans, 84.4% were White, and 4.4% fell into the "Other" category.